

Embassy of the United States of America

Tokyo, Japan

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First Set of Questions and Answers

Request for Quotations (RFQ) No. 19JA8022Q0019 Acquisition of Computer Servers for U.S. Embassy Tokyo, Japan

Question 1:

"Regarding the Acquisition Process 19JA8022Q0019 published at the Embassy's website, I would like to request delivery instructions for US Vendors.

Do you have a Dispatch Agent in the U.S. for local delivery?"

Answer 1:

The U.S. Embassy is unable to accept the shipment delivery at Dispatch Agency in the U.S. for this RFQ. The Contractor shall deliver all ordered items to the delivery location stated under 1.2.1(b) Delivery Location.

Question 2:

"In the configuration described in the RFP, there is a possibility that the manufacturer's stock of SSD will be sold out and they will no longer be available. In that case, is it acceptable to propose an alternative product?"

Answer 2:

The U.S. Embassy will purchase the required items from a vendor source who has the stock.

However, the following item is considered to be equivalent item and is permitted.

Item: HPE 960GB SAS 12G Mixed Use SFF SC Value SAS Multi Vendor SSD (P/N : P37005-B21)

Question 3:

"It is difficult to give a final delivery date since the delivery date for some items are not clear at this time, but when do you expect to install the items?

Answer 3:

The U.S. Embassy expects the delivery of all ordered items within two months after the contract award.

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